

COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE

PICEA PUNGENS GLAUCA

X, 6 to 10 in.

## Two Popular Liners, Once Transplanted.

These two fine trees are in stock in reasonably strong supply, although near one third gone at year end.

They are well graded, strong plants, in really good condition to be readily re-established in your nursery.

Never before did our capacity permit us to offer either item this late, in this quality.

For these and other grades of both trees refer to price list on page 2.

UPRIGHT YEW

TAXUS CUSPIDATA CAPITATA

Seed grown X, 6-10 ins.



## Comment on a few items

### TAXUS CUSPIDATA CAPITATA, seed grown.

XX 8 to 12 in. Six years or older, several times sheared but let grow this year, compact, many branched, well established. All yews develop an abundant root system in our well conditioned sandy loam soil.

X, 6 to 10 in. Grown two years as transplants. They are the heavier stock graded out of our first quite substantial transplanting of this tree. They've developed well in both top and root. Well branched, none more than lightly sheared. A good starter for either potted or field grown stock.

X, 4 to 6 in. This is the smaller size graded out of the above described item.

### COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE, *Picea pungens glauca*.

2-2, 6 to 10 in. Our best grade of Colorado Spruce liner, price considered. Transplanted as a 3 to 6 in. seedling, it is well and low branched to make a blocky liner at this size. In good supply this year for the first time. A few who've seen them have reserved quite sizeable blocks of this grade size; bed run as to color, carefully graded for size and quality.

3-0, 6 to 12 in. Probably, on the average, the best branched 3-0 Colorado Spruce we've had due to fewer trees than normal per square foot of bed. Supply not as great as usual. No smaller 3-0 grade this season.

2-0, 3 to 6 in. Strong two year seedlings, with a profusion of branch buds along the stem. Best suited for transplanting in nursery beds. With experienced planting care this stock is suitable for field planting.

### TROLEAN MUGHO PINE 2-2, 3 to 4 in.

By reputation the slowest growing and best in color of all dwarf Mugho. These trees have abundant roots, were very strong rooted as seedlings. They've been sheared back to be well branched and well budded at a comparatively small size. Less bulk for shipping.

### RIGA SCOTCH PINE (Poland) 3-0, 8 to 12 in. or 3-0, 12 to 16 in.

Seedlings as big and rugged as you want. Very tall, heavy stemmed, well rooted. These seedlings were grown a third year to set a clean stem for best Christmas Tree development. They are well budded to grow a good tree atop these strong potential tree stems. Top grade Christmas trees need long clean stems.

This is the same Riga Scotch Pine growing on all of our own Christmas tree farms and is the principal Scotch Pine stock offered by us during the recent past years.

## SEEDLING AND TRANSPLANT EVERGREENS

SPRING 1960

	per 100	per 1,000	per 1,000 10,000 or more
TAXUS CUSPIDATA CAPITATA			
Upright Yew, seed grown			
XX, 8 to 12 ins.	\$ 85.00	\$	\$
X, 6 to 10 ins.	42.50	275.00	250.00
X, 4 to 6 ins.	26.00	190.00	175.00
COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE			
2-2, 6 to 10 ins.	18.00	150.00	135.00
3-1, 6 to 10 ins.	14.00	75.00	
3-0, 6 to 12 ins.	10.00	45.00	42.50
*2-0, 3 to 6 ins.	7.50	28.00	24.00
WHITE SPRUCE			
3-1, 6 to 10 ins.	12.00	70.00	
3-0, 4 to 8 ins.	8.00	45.00	42.50
*2-0, 3 to 8 ins.	7.50	26.00	22.00
NORWAY SPRUCE			
3-1, 6 to 14 ins.	12.00	65.00	
*3-0, 6 to 12 ins.	8.00	40.00	37.50
BLACK HILLS SPRUCE			
3-0, 4 to 8 ins.	8.00	40.00	37.50
DOUGLAS FIR			
2-2, 12 to 15 ins.	28.00	220.00	
2-2, 6 to 12 ins.	22.00	180.00	
2-0, 4 to 8 ins.	7.50	28.00	26.00
WHITE PINE			
2-2, 5 to 10 ins.	16.00	130.00	
PONDEROSA PINE			
2-2, 6 to 12 ins.	10.00	60.00	
MUGHO PINE Tyrolean dwarf			
2-2, 3 to 4 ins.	22.00	160.00	150.00
AUSTRIAN PINE			
2-2, 8 to 14 ins.	12.00	85.00	
*2-1, 3 to 8 ins.	10.00	37.50	32.50
3-0, 5 to 10 ins.	10.00	28.00	24.00
*2-0, 2 to 4 ins.	6.00	18.00	16.00
NORWAY PINE			
2-1, 3 to 6 ins.	9.00	45.00	
RIGA SCOTCH PINE (Poland)			
2-2, 12 to 16 ins.	14.00	70.00	
*3-0, 12 to 16 ins.	9.00	34.00	30.00
*3-0, 8 to 12 ins.	7.50	26.00	22.00
2-1, 3 to 8 ins.	9.00	36.00	32.00
SCOTCH PINE AUVERGNE			
French Blue			
*2-1, 3 to 6 ins.	9.00	36.00	32.00
*2-0, 3 to 6 ins.	7.50	22.00	18.00

TERMS: Cash with order or 1/3 deposit will reserve stock.

50 at 100 rate; 500 at 1000 rate; all seedlings multiples of 50; all transplants multiples of 10.

Minimum order \$10.00. Packing charges included in price.

On transplants only, 5,000 order in one item takes 10,000 rate.

\* Apply for price on 50,000 or more of one grade.

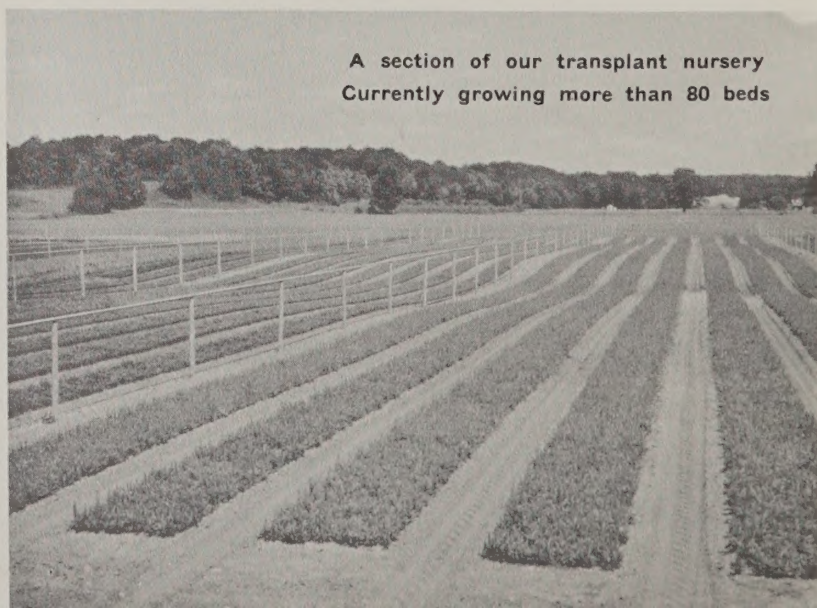
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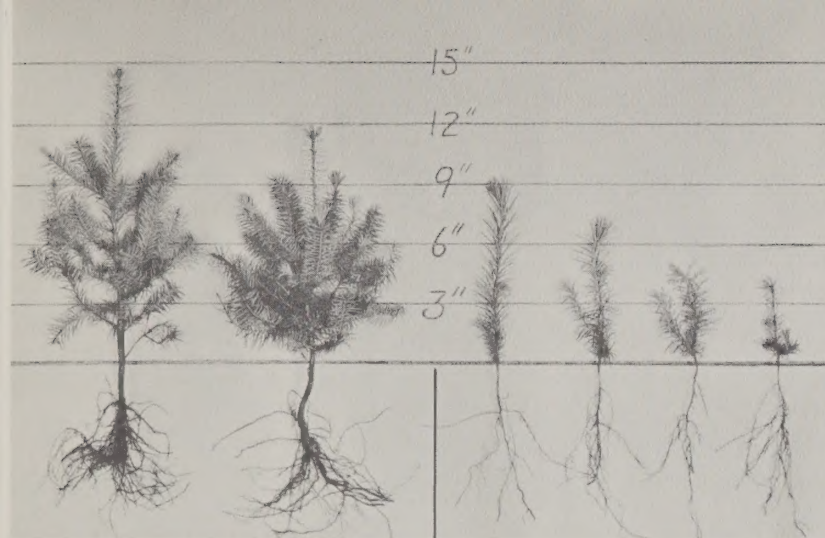
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An end close-up of one of fourteen beds of 2-2 Colorado Blue Spruce.

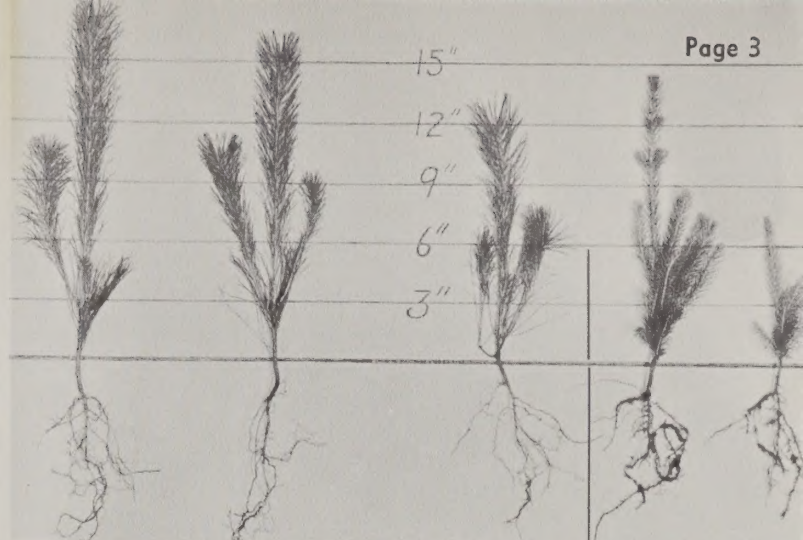


A section of our transplant nursery  
Currently growing more than 80 beds



**DOUGLAS FIR**  
2-2, 12 to 15 in.

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2-0, 4 to 8 in.



**SCOTCH PINE**  
3-0, 12 to 16 in.

**NORWAY SPRUCE**  
3-0, 6 to 12 in.

**DOUGLAS FIR 2-2, 12 to 15 in.** These are *taxifolia glauca*, have a bluish color tendency, inclined branch habit. can be sheared to any desired compact shape.  
Available also in 6 to 12 in. transplant size.

**DOUGLAS FIR 2-0, 4 to 8 in.** Are also *taxifolia glauca*. One of the finest Douglas Fir types for either landscape or Christmas trees.

**AUSTRIAN PINE 2-1, 3 to 8 in.** A quick grower to potted or bigger sizes. For the first time we have them in volume.

Also offer them in bigger transplants, 2-2, 8 to 14 in., and in two yr. and 3 yr. seedlings.

**TYROLEAN MUGHO PINE 2-2, 3 to 4 in.** (see description Page 2). A natural slow grower these have been held small to develop a lot of fibre roots and a lot of well budded short branches. It is a liner of less bulk yet in condition to grow quickly to compact quality and size.

Next year we'll have them in only a larger XX grade.

**WHITE PINE 2-2, 5 to 10 in.** A well branched liner, well known to all growers, which we do not often have in even limited supply.

**PONDEROSA PINE 2-2, 6 to 12 in.** A fast grower of limited use. Husky trees listed at a clean up price.

**SCOTCH PINE 3-0, 12 to 16 in.** (also available in 8 to 12 in. grade) Described page 3.

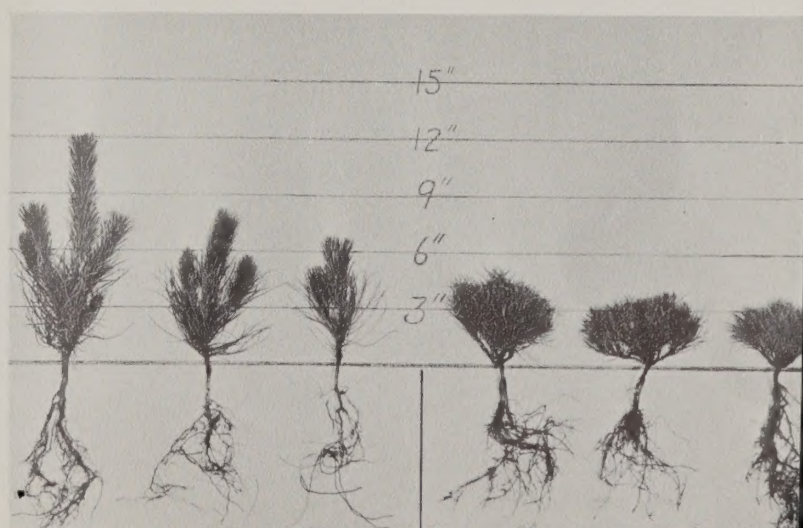
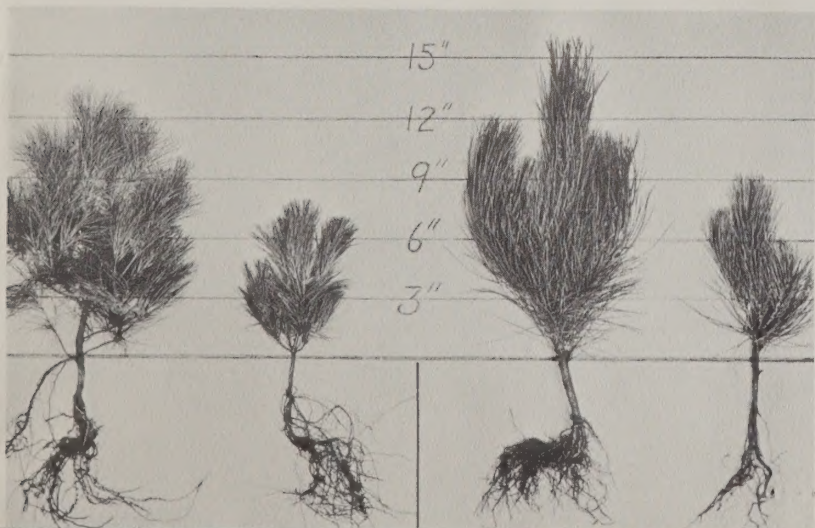
**NORWAY SPRUCE 3-0, 6 to 12 in.** In Christmas trees or small landscape stock it must be kept sheared to be compact. For ground cover, shelter belt or timber it is a fast grower

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2-2, 5 to 10 in.

**PONDEROSA PINE**  
2-2, 6 to 12 in.

**AUSTRIAN PINE**  
2-1, 3 to 8 in.

**TYROLEAN MUGHO PINE**  
2-2, 3 to 4 in.



## COLOR AND QUALITY IN COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE

All Colorado Spruce offered is bed run stock as to color, both seedlings and transplants in all sizes and grades. The seed we plant is of the finest quality for color from dependable sources. We sell no selected blues; every one is included in the bed-run grade. It makes the quality dependable.

Do not expect more than 25% blue, remember they are seedlings, not grafts. We find color in Colorado Spruce is influenced by room-to-grow-in and by soil fertility. We make no representation as to percentage of blue trees.

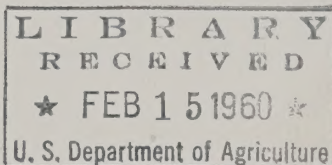
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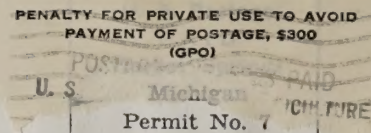


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## OF SPECIAL INTEREST

Spring shipping will begin as soon as weather permits.

Time of shipping will be to best customer advantage, subject to ground conditions here.

Every facility and equipment unit has been designed and will be employed to lift stock, grade, pack and ship it for delivery to customers in best tree condition.

Prices include packing costs.

Truck routes serve many areas quicker and at a lower transportation cost.

Small packages and crates get quickest delivery by PARCEL POST SPECIAL HANDLING.

Orders big enough to warrant it will be delivered door to door by our truck, at cost.